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Chief Hallock Receives \$105 For Regatta Fund

Chief of Police Hallock called on several patriotic Astorians yesterday to receive contributions to the fund started for the purpose of reimbursing Chairman C. V. Brown, of the regatta committee. Chief Hallock collected \$105 yesterday and has been requested to call on other persons for an additional \$60. The subscribers whose money was turned over to The Astorian last night are as follows:

Charles F. Wise	\$25.00
S. E. Harris	20.00
H. Laxell	5.00
Charles Wesche	5.00
Henry Weinhard (Portland)	50.00
Total	\$105.00

Many persons have expressed willingness to assist in making up the \$500 deficit and Chief Hallock predicts that the total amount will be subscribed in a few days. Persons desiring to contribute to the fund may leave their money with Chief Hallock or with The Astorian, and proper acknowledgment will be made in the columns of this paper.

TWO LOST PERSONS

Mrs. A. Mueller, of Los Angeles, has written the local police department for information concerning the whereabouts of her daughter, Mrs. John Forrest, who was in Portland when last heard from. Mrs. Mueller believes her daughter is now in this city. Constance Johnson, a 19-year old boy, ran away from his Seaside home last Friday and has not since been heard from. His parents are greatly alarmed over his disappearance and have asked the local police to search for him.

AUGUST WEATHER

August was a dry month in Astoria, and a warm one as well, according to the report of Weather Observer Ellis. The precipitation was only .76 inches. The maximum temperature was 76 degrees, on the 7th and 17th, while the lowest mark reached by the glass was 59 degrees on the 11th. There were 19 cloudy days, 11 partly cloudy and only four perfectly clear.

HOSE RACES CALLED OFF

Fred Brown, captain of the Astoria hose team, yesterday received word from C. E. McDonald, one of the officials of the Multnomah carnival, that it would be impossible to hold the firemen's tournament during the fair. The races have been called off on account of the lack of space—a contingency wholly unlooked for.

WILL ELECT OFFICERS

The W. C. T. U. will elect officers to serve for the ensuing year at the regular meeting to be held this afternoon. In view of this and other matters of importance to come up, a good attendance is urged.

CHOICE FRUITS JUST IN

Johnson Brothers yesterday received a consignment of choice melons and fruits from the steamer Columbia, which arrived from California.

ALLEGED TRAIN ROBBER

Havre, Mont., Sept. 2.—Sheriff Harry Conner passed through here at 6 o'clock last night having in custody a prisoner who is supposed to be one of the gang of alleged train robbers who planned to hold up the Flyer at Malta on Sunday morning. The prisoner's name is Rathbone and he was arrested at Big Sandy. Nothing further could be learned here regarding the arrest.

BOAT FIRED BY EXPLOSION

Constantinople, Sept. 2.—Three explosions occurred today on the Austrian steamer Vaskapou soon after leaving the Bulgarian port Burgas, en route for Constantinople and 29 persons perished. The boat caught fire and had to be beached.

"JACK" McCARTHY SIGNS

Chicago, Sept. 2.—"Jack" McCarthy who was released by the Cleveland American League team recently, has signed with the Chicago National club. He will be played in left field.

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PERSONAL

C. W. Fulton went to Portland last night.
 Jack Grant is in the city from Portland.
 Herman Praet was in Portland yesterday.
 Mrs. Dan Allen returned from Portland last night.
 Walter Ridehalgh returned last night from the Siuslaw country.
 Miss Harriet Tallant is visiting Miss Laura Knowles at Halcyon Lodge, Seaside.
 Dr. Cordner, William Grates and Dr. T. F. Laurin have returned from Spokane.
 Lawrence Sullivan returned to Portland last night from a day's visit in the city.
 J. C. McCutcheon, a Portland grocer, spent yesterday in the city. He returned home last night.
 Fish Commissioner Van Dusen returned last night from an inspection of the Ontario and Siuslaw river hatcheries.
 Mrs. W. J. Wilson, who has been visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Richard Cearns, returned last night to her home in Portland.
 Mrs. J. T. N. Callaway returned on the steamer Columbia yesterday from California, where she has been visiting for some weeks.
 Miss Beth Raymond, representing the Telegram at Seaside, was in the city for a few hours yesterday morning, returning on the noon train.
 Mrs. J. T. Ross returned yesterday from Seaside, making the trip up on horseback. During the week Mrs. Ross rode to Eccla and Elk Creek.
 Clyde Bayles is in the city from Pullman, Wash., where he is taking a course in civil engineering. Mr. Bayles will be in town until his vacation comes to an end.
 W. K. Scott, who has been foreman in J. S. Dellinger's job printing establishment, left last evening for Boise, Ida., where he has accepted a formanship on the Capital News.

Marine Notes.

The steamer Elmore left out yesterday for Tillamook with freight and a good passenger list.
 The barkentine Tam O'Shanter arrived yesterday morning from California to load lumber.
 The O. R. & N. steamer Columbia arrived in yesterday from a San Francisco trip and proceeded on up to Portland.
 J. B. Milton, inspector of the Twelfth lighthouse district, sends out notice that Runt's reef whistling buoy, painted red and marked "Blunt" in white letters, off Cape Mendocino, Cal., is not sounding. Repairs will be made as soon as practicable.
 Owing to the breaking of her pitman strap on the down trip yesterday the steamer Lurline did not arrive at Astoria until 8:30 in the evening. She left up for Portland late at night and will be docked there for repairs. The Undine will take the run to Astoria and will be in service for three days. The accident to the Lurline occurred near Kalama.

BIRTH NOTICE

To Mr. and Mrs. Otto Muhler, a daughter.

BASEBALL SCORES

PACIFIC COAST.
 At San Francisco—Portland 7; Oakland 3.
 At Sacramento—San Francisco 10; Sacramento 7.
 At Los Angeles—Los Angeles 12; Seattle 5.

PACIFIC NATIONAL.
 At Seattle—Seattle 6; Spokane 6.
 At Butte—Butte 18; Salt Lake 9.

NATIONAL.
 At Pittsburg—Pittsburg 4; Cincinnati 1.

At Philadelphia—First game—Philadelphia 1; Boston 3.
 At Philadelphia—Second game—Philadelphia 3; Boston 2.

At New York—New York 1; Brooklyn 4.
 At Chicago—Chicago 5; St. Louis 1.

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Office Constructing Quartermaster, Astoria, Ore., September 2, 1903.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock a. m., September 22, 1903, for the construction, plumbing and electric wiring of one set of Hospital Steward's Quarters at Fort Stevens, Ore. United States reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Plans can be seen and specifications obtained at this office, and at the office of Disbursing Quartermaster at Portland, Ore., and Seattle, Wash. Envelopes should be marked "Proposals for construction" and addressed to Captain Goodale, Quartermaster, Astoria, Ore.

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 9:40 a.m. renton, Flavel, | 12:30 p.m.
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